

Council	What is expected	When it is expected
Education and training	In the context of implementing UNICE Strategy for Education for Sustainable Development, Council and the European Parliament will adopt an integrated action programme in the field of lifelong learning for 2007-2010	2006
Communication, mobilizing actors and multiplying successes	Examine progress on sustainable development indicators; consider endorsement of limited set of indicators for monitoring SDS at EU level and for communication purposes	2007
Implementation, monitoring and follow-up	December European Council – review progress and priorities and provide general orientations on policies, strategies and instruments for SDS, on the basis of Commission’s report; priorities under the Lisbon strategy for growth and jobs should be taken into account so that “...results from the EU SDS can contribute to work in the Lisbon context, including on the integrated guidelines, allowing for coherent treatment of cross-cutting issues such as climate change, energy efficiency, ageing and social cohesion.”	Every two years, starting 2007
	General affairs council should ensure horizontal coordination of EU SDS; other council formations - should verify implementation in their respective areas of responsibility. “When reviewing progress, the Council should consider different options on how its work could be further strengthened to ensure proper implementation of the EU SDS.”	No date
	European Council - decide on timing for comprehensive review of EU SDS	“at the latest by 2011”

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